January 2021 Mid-Month Bulletin



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Grade 8 Online Transition

RE: Grade 7 – 8 Transition Process

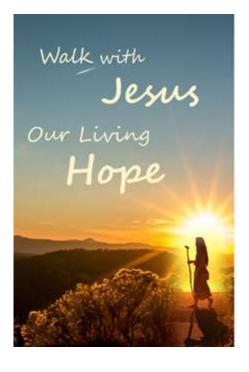
To enable an easier transition for independent school Grade 7 students to a School District No. 57 Grade 8 program in September 2021 the online application for registration will be open to these students for 3 weeks starting January 12, 2021.

The **Online Transition Process** is outlined as follows:

This process requires parents/guardians of transitioning students entering School District No. 57 to input basic demographic information, contact information and their catchment secondary school. Having this information will enable School District No. 57 receiving schools to more accurately determine in catchment student numbers. The Transition Process will open at 9:00 am on January 12, 2021 and close at 3:00 pm on February 2, 2021. Upon submission of the online form, parents will be contacted directly by the catchment secondary school with School District No. 57 registration information.

If students are wishing to attend a secondary school other than their catchment school they must first complete the Online Transition Process and submit completed registration forms, they may then apply to transfer from their School District No. 57 catchment school to their requested school by completing an Online Student Transfer request. The Student Transfer Process will open on February 3, 2021 at 9:00 am and close on March 2, 2021 at 3:00 pm.

Parents/guardians will be notified by the requested school by March 30, 2021 as to the status of their Student Transfer request.



<u>Upcoming School Events</u> January 19

Parent Support Group AGM 7 PM by Zoom

January 24

Catholic Schools Week

January 25

Kodiak Shirt Day

January 26

Munchalunch Closed for February ordering at noon

January 29

Pro D Day-No Scheduled Classes!

More Important News & Information

Grade 6 & 7 Basketball Practice and Games

We are inviting all interested Grade 6 & 7 students sign up for basketball. The boy's team will practice on Mondays and the girls will practice on Wednesdays, with mixed group games being held on Thursdays from January 18 to February 18. Due to Covid-19 regulations, games will be organized within the school with each day's activities running from 2:30-3:45 pm.

Spirit Day

Our Spirit Day is Monday, January 25. Staff and students can wear their Kodiak t-shirt or hoodie. This is a non-uniform day.

Non-Instructional Day

Friday, January 29, is a PD Day. There are no scheduled classes.

Religion

This month we celebrate Catholic Schools Week. This is a week to celebrate our Catholic identity as a school. We will have exciting activities planned for the students throughout the week.

Bible in a Year Podcast

If you've struggled to read the Bible, this podcast is for you. Ascension's *Bible in a Year* Podcast, hosted by Fr. Mike Schmitz and featuring Jeff Cavins, guides Catholics through the Bible in 365 daily episodes starting January 1st, 2021.

Each 20-25 minute episode includes:

- two to three scripture readings
- a **reflection** from Fr. Mike Schmitz
- and guided prayer to help you hear God's voice in his Word.

Unlike any other Bible podcast, Ascension's *Bible in a Year* Podcast for Catholics follows a reading plan inspired by the Great Adventure *Bible Timeline*® learning system, a ground breaking approach to understanding Salvation History developed by renowned Catholic Bible teacher Jeff Cavins.

Below is the link to the sign-up page for the Bible in a Year podcast. There is also a link on the page to "listen now", which takes you to another page, so you can listen on the computer or from a webpage and access previous episodes.

https://ascensionpress.com/pages/biy-registration

<u>Important Information</u> and Forms Due

January 18

Gr 6 & 7 Basketball forms due

January 26

MunchaLunch closes at **Noon** for February ordering

Parent Support Group

January 19

PSG AGM

The PSG AGM will be held **Tuesday, January 19, at 7 PM** by Zoom. All parents are members and are welcome to attend.

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